



## At Random

Alvin York predicts the war with Germany will be over days after April 15.

A woman was heard to say: "I get up at 1:00 Sunday morning to set the clock ahead again?" Either that or turn it back before retiring Saturday night.

A dealer who puts his best on top proves his reputation. Later you discover his character near the bottom of the barrel.

Goering not only dreads the outcome of the war, but the hanging of another chain as well.

The weather man ever gives a chance. Nature will soon be turning over (out) some new ones.

The Nazis haven't shot any of their Generals lately. Must be running out of ammunition.

General Sherman refused the nomination for the presidency because he knew he wasn't qualified. Dewey is well qualified, but he doesn't agree to run. Two sensible men—and smart.

Japs must believe in ghosts because ever since they took the Pacific Fleet they have been greatly in fear of it.

Numbers, according to a statistician, are 95% water. At least they don't have anything on club highballs.

Man officers at first were with victory. Now they are getting "plastered."

Olive tree, a symbol of peace, is claimed to have originated in the Balkans. Can anyone name a peace symbol coming from that turbulent area?

A bride asked her husband if he would ask her father to discontinue her weekly allowance. The groom assured her that he wasn't asking her to give up any of her girlhood ways so soon.

## City To Change Time April 16th

Beginning at 1:00 o'clock a. m. Sunday, April 16th, the official time for Grayling will be Eastern Standard Time. Accordingly clocks should be turned one hour ahead at that time.

This "fast" time will be continued until Labor Day, when Central War Time will be resumed.

## A Message To The 17-Year-Old Boys of Michigan

A seventeen-year-old you are eligible for enlistment in the U. S. Navy.

But when you reach your eighteenth birthday, you are entitled to this privilege and must be drafted and await assignment. While you are seventeen, why not choose the service you would like to join?

Many of your friends have answered your Country's call. We know that you, too, want to do your part. You want to serve, and you want to know where America needs most, where you can do the most for your Country, and for yourself.

Choose your service while you are free to do so. Make your decision carefully, but make it. You still have time. Enter service you will be proud of all your life. If you are a Senior in high school, you can expect to graduate this year, you can enlist in the Navy, return and finish school, and then go to work.

If you wish to enlist in the U. S. Navy, you can take an examination for Radio Technician or for Electrician. All of these are available to the enlisted men.

Write, or visit the U. S. Navy Recruiting Station, Room 6, Post Office Building, Traverse City, Michigan. The recruiter is prepared to furnish information about the Navy and your enlistment. All your enlistment papers can be made out at this station prior to your enlistment in the Navy. All transportation and expenses will be supplied by the Navy.

Fats Withstand Heat. Certain fats keep just as well at room temperature.

Covers Wires. Rosin covers the sensitive wires of flying instruments.

DANCE at Grange Hall, Saturday night.

## History of the Feldhauser School

(Continued from last issue)

An interesting fact about these meetings is that the polls were always open two and three hours and the total number of votes cast was usually six. Everything was done very formally.

The new building, which is our present school, was completed on July 31, 1890. The log one was then sold to Charles Fautley for \$15.00. He not having ready cash, gave his note for that amount for four months. He moved the log building across the corner to his homestead and it is believed it was added to and used for a house.

School began in the new building Oct. 24, 1890, with Ulysses G. Morton as the teacher. He was a very young man from the southern part of Michigan. His term was for four months and he was paid \$35 per month. There were sixteen pupils by that time.

Twelve of those pupils are still living, and ten of them in this county. One of them, Pauline Schreiber, is now Mrs. Rufus Edmonds, and is our present teacher. Following is a copy of the census list for that year:

Amelia Aebli, age 1  
Nettie Aebli, age 6  
Henry Feldhauser, age 14  
William Feldhauser, age 11  
Eddy Feldhauser, age 8  
Rudolph Feldhauser, age 6  
Robert Feldhauser, age 6  
Millie Hoesli, age 16  
Dan Hoesli, age 14  
Frederick Hoesli, age 11  
Dora Hoesli, age 7  
Pauline Schreiber, age 14  
Hugo Schreiber, age 11  
Wm. Schreiber, age 8  
George Schreiber, age 6  
U. G. Morton and his wife visited the school and a few families in the neighborhood last July. He was pleased to find a few of his former pupils. Mr. Morton is an interesting man and has a remarkable memory. He lives near Penton, Michigan.

One rather amusing happening was concerning the school bell. When the school was completed, the bell had to be removed from the old structure and put up in the new one. It must have been quite a task. It's a heavy bell. However, Fred Hoesli did it, and was paid \$1. It would cost many times that amount to have a job like that done in these days.

In 1893 Miss Pauline Schreiber was engaged to teach the school and did so for three terms. Her salary was \$28 per month for the winter terms and \$26 per month for spring terms.

In 1920 and 1921, Wakeley and Stephan districts consolidated with Feldhauser district. This was for economic reasons. By this arrangement the census increased, until by the late 1920's, and early 1930's there were about 36 pupils enrolled.

About 1934, several changes were made in the building. A fine new full size basement was made under it, a new chimney and modern furnace were put in, and other improvements made.

By 1936 the enrollment was so large that it was decided it would be an advantage to the pupils to transport the 7th and 8th grades to Grayling School. The district bought a bus and did that very thing, also providing transportation for the district's older children from their homes to Grayling High School.

Many persons have held school offices in this district, but the names of the late Hugo Schreiber as director and Henry Feldhauser as smoderator are on the records more times than any others.

Several of the teachers who taught in this school, even in its early days, are still residents of Crawford County.

We are proud to list the names of fourteen young men and two young women from this district who are now in the service of Our Country. They are:

Alfred Hoffman  
William Hoffman  
Roger Kneff  
Jack Redhead  
Herbert Feldhauser  
Donald Feldhauser  
Norman Feldhauser  
Jack Feldhauser  
Leroy Babbitt  
Johannes Jorgenson  
Marx Stephan  
Theodore Stephan, Jr.  
Jay Stephan  
Frances Wakeley  
Arnold Deman  
Louise Feldhauser  
Yvette Stephan

During the past 50 years our school building has been of great service to the community. It has been used not only for school, but for social gatherings, a place of worship, and, occasionally, for important business meetings. It is hoped that it will serve for into the future.

NOTES  
The number of teachers that taught during the past 51 years in this district is 52.  
The teacher teaching the longest time in this district is Mary Wakeley, who taught a total of 18 years.  
Another record not made by



Corp. T. Gallacher, at the organ. Seated at the console of a captured organ in a trench in Italy the corporal is about to begin an impromptu entertainment for the English Tommies seen with him. Just 800 yards from the soldiers' position another concert-shellfire—is being given for the Italians by the British Fifth army.

## Junior Class Play To Be Presented Next Thursday

DRESS REHEARSAL FOR CHILDREN ON WEDNESDAY EVENING.

Everything is in readiness for the Junior Class' presentation of their comedy, "Professor, How Could You!", next Thursday evening, April 20, at 8 o'clock. This performance will be for adults and high school students only, and the admission price is 35 cents. All Servicemen home on leave will be admitted free, and this is an invitation to them from the Juniors to be their guests.

There will be a special dress rehearsal for children in the grade on Wednesday evening, April 19, and admission to this rehearsal is 10 cents, including tax.

Attractive printed programs, listing the characters and setting will be given to each person attending the Thursday performance.

The program opens with several musical selections by Grayling's own "Rhythm King Trio." In between acts the high school's mixed chorus and girls' tee club will present several pleasing selections.

## Unlawful To Transplant Fish or Spawn

Sportsmen who would like to have a certain species of fish in their favorite fishing spot, or think it would be a good idea to stock waters near home, are warned by the Michigan State Conservation Department that it is unlawful to transfer or plant any spawn, fry, or fish of any kind in any public waters of the state or any waters connecting with them without a permit from the director of conservation.

Planting fish without the sanction of fisheries experts may cause undesirable species to become established in good fishing waters, with unfavorable results for anglers.

many teachers is that of Pauline Edmonds, who taught her first school here in 1893 and 1894, at 16 years of age, and taught here again in 1943 and 1944—a period of 50 years between. Of the 11 pupils she taught in 1893, nine are still living.

A party was given at the Grange Hall on Valentine evening in honor of this record, attended by some of the old-timers and their descendants, and a very enjoyable time was had by all.

Mrs. Edmonds also got her grade schooling in this school and high school education in the Grayling and Bay City high schools; she also took a short course in Bay City Business College.

It might also be here mentioned that in the difficulties encountered by the teachers was the fact that all the original pupils could not even speak English when they first came to school. Also, the school officials had only recently emigrated from Europe and had their difficulties with this language and keeping the district records—but which are today evidence of their determination to do a good job.

THE END

## Honor Roll

OFFICIAL CASUALTY LIST

**Killed In Action**  
Theon Deckrow  
Grant Giffin  
Harold C. Floeter

**Accidental Death**  
Thomas Ingalls  
Jack Epley

**Missing In Action**  
Ivan Rice  
Clayton Anthony

## Mrs. R. D. Bailey Passes On

Monday afternoon, at the Gaylord Methodist Church, funeral services were held for the late Mrs. R. D. Bailey.

Mrs. Bailey died of a heart attack while attending Tre Ore services in the Congregational Church at Gaylord, Friday afternoon, April 7th.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey were residents of Grayling for several years, while Mr. Bailey was acting as agricultural agent for Crawford County. During this time Mrs. Bailey was active in church work and was president of the Ladies' Aid of Michelson Memorial Church.

Mr. Bailey died 16 years ago on Good Friday, and since that time Mrs. Bailey had made her home with different members of her family.

## Royal Couple



The quiet king and smiling queen of England pictured as they arrived at the Yugoslav legation in London where they attended the wedding of King Peter of Yugoslavia to Princess Alexandra of Greece.

## Achievement Day April 20

TO BE OBSERVED AT THE GRANGE HALL, GRAYLING.

Achievement Day will be observed at the Grange Hall, this day, on April 20.

Dinner will be served at 12:00 o'clock, the menu being as follows:

Fruit cocktail; chicken, biscuits and gravy; mashed potatoes; rolls; cabbage salad; peas and carrots; pie; coffee.

Following the dinner, the program is scheduled to get under way at 1:15 p. m. The program: 1:15 Music. First number by Girls' Glee Club; second number by Mixed Chorus.

1:30—Movies

2:30 Community Sing

2:40—Address by Miss Roberta Hershey, Nutrition Specialist, Michigan State College

Chairmen of the events are: Entertainment Committee—Mrs. T. P. Peterson

Food Committee—Miss Martha Peterson

Hospitality Committee—Mrs. J. F. Smith

Exhibits—Mrs. Frank Serven

Exhibits will be on display at the Grange Hall from 10:00 a. m. on through the day.

The public is cordially invited to attend. Anyone wishing to attend the dinner may secure tickets from Mrs. John Mallinger before Saturday, April 15. The prices of tickets are: For adults, 75c; children, 50c.

## School Nurse's Report For March

Board of Education School District No. 1 Grayling, Michigan

**Complete Schedule**

Building at 8:30 a. m.

Daily, from 9:10 to 10:30, in rooms from kindergarten through Sixth Grade.

Office, from 10:30 to 1:00 noon daily, for High School interviews.

Daily, from 1:00 to 1:30 p. m., in rooms from kindergarten to Second Grade.

Home calls will be made on all pupils absent two days or more and reported illness, after 2:30 p. m.

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Home calls made—146

Office calls—213

Exclusions, Impetigo—1

Exclusion, Scabies—3

Exclusions, Measles—39

Children taken to Doctor's office

None

Children referred to their family

Doctor—17

Children taken home by Nurse

8

Sore Throat, Temperature—16

Weights and Heights form—month—291

Vision Testing for month—198

Children examined daily from kindergarten through Sixth Grade—

Rx for Vision corrections, taken to parents—3

Vision corrections made—2

T.B. skin tests made—66

Positive reactions—11

Positive reactions to be taken to Roscommon for X-Rays, Monday, April 10th.

Helen Corwin, R.N.

## To Receive Bids For Carrying Mail

Postmaster McDonnell advises that sealed bids will be received until 2:00 p. m., April 22, 1944, for carrying the mails between the Post Office and the New York Central Railroad.

Applications and further information can be had by applying at the Post Office.

## Grayling Chapter, Order of Eastern Star

At their regular meeting held Wednesday evening, April 5, Grayling Chapter No. 83, Order of the Eastern Star, entertained twenty-five members of the Order from Roscommon and Houghton Heights.

Margaret Flagg and Florence Murray were initiated into the Order at this meeting.

Seventy were seated at the long tables, decorated with silver candelabra, with lighted colored candles and huge nests of colored Easter eggs, also all sizes and colors of rabbits.

Sunday, April 16, the Calvary Baptist Church will hold its Spring Conference at the Grange Hall, Rev. C. F. Olin of Gladwin will speak Sunday, April 16, and through to April 20. Rev. A. N. Fields will be the speaker, May 1, and through May 5. The Sunday night meetings start at 7:30, and the week night meetings at 8:00 o'clock.

NOTICE TO GRANGE MEMBERS  
Lunch will be served at 12:00 sharp. Important business.

## GRAYLING MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE

A special meeting of the Grayling Men's Bowling League will be held at the Bowling Alleys on Sunday, April 15, at 2 p. m., to decide very important questions, including the league banquet. All bowlers will please attend.

## Things of Interest in Michigan CONSERVATION

(Furnished by Your Local Conservation Officer)

Remember that it is necessary to have a gun permit to shoot crows or rats at this time of year. One can be had from the local officer.

Suckers will soon be running, and may be taken from some of our streams. Consult your local officer if in doubt as to where they may be taken.

A plea is being sent out to owners of dogs to keep them tied up for the next three or four weeks. Deer are about to have their young, and dogs running them this season as well as any season will be shot and owner prosecuted. Let's give the deer a chance and comply with this request.

It will be necessary to have burning permits to burn from now on. Towers will be manned starting Tuesday.

## Easter Services At Michelson Memorial Church Inspiring

It was a joyous Easter, beginning with the Sunrise Service and breakfast at which almost a hundred were present. Rev. Mr. Holm spoke at the breakfast.

At 10:00 a. m., a christening service was held. Both children and adults were at the altar for baptism. The entire altar was banked with beautiful ferns and flowers.

At the regular morning service the church was filled to capacity. Mrs. C. G. Clippert, led us in our Easter music of praise. This was of very high quality. The pastor spoke of new hope brought to a war-torn world and the great need of a living Saviour.

Many out-of-town worshippers were present. Prayers also were offered for our armed forces.

The weather was beautiful—a perfect setting for the Resurrection Day. All those who attended this service came away thankful for the meaning of Easter.

## Public Notice

The Senior Ladies' Aid Society of Michelson Memorial Church will meet with Mrs. Carl Johnson on April 14, instead of April 7. Pot-luck luncheon at one o'clock.

Light-Year Length  
Light-year, an astronomical unit, is about 6 million miles.

River's Name Changed  
The Hudson River was called the auritus by the early Dutch.

## Auction Sale

The undersigned will offer for sale at Public Auction at the Mrs. Mary Biggs residence, 705 Maple St., Grayling Michigan, on

Saturday, April 15, 1944

Beginning at 1:00 o'clock P. M., the following described property, to-wit:

Davenport	Kitchen Cabinet
Chairs	Wardrobe
Dining Room Chairs	Floor Covering
Dining Table	Cook Stove
Buffet	Oil Burning Heater
Curtains and Drapes	Two Tool Chests
Library Table	Quantity of Carpenter Tools
Writing Desk	Dishes
Two Beds with Springs	Trailer

And Many Other Articles.

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WM. FERGUSON, Clerk.







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## NewsBriefs

Mrs. A. M. Lewis of Flint was a weekend guest of Mrs. Lon Collen.

John Drefts of Lansing visited his sister, Mrs. Stanley Smith over Easter.

Russell Vallad of Bay City was the week-end guest of his mother, Mrs. Gilbert Vallad.

Miss Esther Murphy of Saginaw is visiting at the home of Mrs. Helen Little.

Leslie Owens of Saginaw spent the week-end here visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Lon Collen returned from Detroit after spending three weeks there visiting Mrs. C. W. Edling.

Mrs. Marie Hanson is visiting in Saginaw, the guest of her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Waldemar Hanson.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Charron, of Hazel Park, spent the week-end in Grayling with relatives and friends.

Miss Ruth Burrows of Detroit is enjoying a week's vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Burrows.

Mrs. William Randolph of Lake Margrethe entertained Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hare, of Bay City, over the week-end.

Col. and Mrs. Roy Sindlinger of Grand Ledge are spending a few days at their cabin on the AuSable this week.

Mrs. James McDonnell returned Saturday from Bay City, where she had been called by the illness of her brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Stephan and daughter Joan, of Garden City, spent the week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Ward.

Mrs. Lyons (Margrethe Jensen) of Grand Blanc spent the week-end with friends and relatives in Grayling.

Mrs. Milford Post of Bay City spent the week-end here, the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Craft.

The Danish Ladies' Aid will have a bake sale Saturday afternoon, Apr. 22, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the Burrows Food Store.

Miss Virginia Charron of Flint spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Charron. Miss Rose Mary was also home from Grand Rapids.

Two Bay City firms paid fines in Justice Kuhlman's court this week for handling greatly overloaded trucks over our highways.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McEvers, of Bay City, spent the week-end visiting Mrs. Edna McEvers and friends.

Richard Snyder of Saginaw joined his family here for the Easter week-end. They all returned to Saginaw Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Paul La Brash spent the week-end in Flint, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fogelsonger and family. Mrs. Fogelsonger is the daughter of Mrs. La Brash.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Gallagher, (Dorothy Shear), now of Detroit, report the birth of a son, Terry John, April 5th. He weighed 8 pounds.

Mrs. Denton Cooper (Choyce Newell) of Detroit spent the week-end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Newell, and her brother, Alford, who is home on leave from the Navy.

Misses Eleanor Bugby and Fay Christenson, of Michigan State Teachers College, Mt. Pleasant, spent the week-end in Grayling visiting their parents and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Sterling and twin children, of Saginaw, spent the week-end with the Fred R. Welsh family. While here, Lynn and Stephen received baptism at the Easter Service, Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Schumann sent the Easter week-end with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Carl J. Bauer, Jr., in Saginaw. While there they attended the baptismal service for their grandson, Peter.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Owens and twins, Constance and Conrad, of Saginaw, spent the week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Madison and Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Sorenson. Mrs. Owens and the twins will remain for a few days.

Friends and neighbors helped Mrs. H. Kuhlman celebrate her birthday last Monday afternoon. A delicious luncheon was served and many beautiful gifts were presented the happy lady. It was a joyous occasion and brought many "best wishes".

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Optiz, of Frederic, recently visited the Moody Bible Institute, Chicago. On April 20 this famed Bible school will graduate a class of 65. These young men and women expect to serve as pastors, rural community workers, children's and young people's workers, and as missionaries in Alaska, China, Africa, India and South America.

Mr. and Mrs. Milford Post and daughter Jane, of Bay City, spent Easter Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Post, in Frederic. Milford came to see his brother Jack before he left (Tuesday night) for the Air Corps. Also Sunday guests at the Post home were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sayles and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph MacLure and daughter Marie, of Auburn.

## The Weather

Monday and Tuesday were marked by high winds in Grayling, no doubt a side issue to the heavy wind storms of other states. Wednesday and today it is fair and warmer and gives promise of warming up.

Miss Anna Nielsen of Grand Rapids spent Easter at the home of her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Koerper returned Tuesday from Detroit, where they spent Easter.

Einer Rasmussen of Marlette is here for a few days on business for the Kiteley Lumber Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Barney, of Lewiston, spent Easter at the R. J. Sheehy home, the latter remaining until Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Llyn Doremire of Midland are the proud parents of a girl born April 4. She will be named Mickey Lou.

Miss Emily Giegling, who is attending school at Saginaw, spent Easter with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Emil Giegling.

Holger F. Peterson, employed in the Chrysler plant in Detroit, was home to visit his family from Saturday to Monday night.

Miss Gloria Brown of Detroit visited in Grayling over the week-end, a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hanson.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Parker and children of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Parker of Lansing spent the week-end visiting relatives and friends here in Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith of Detroit spent the week-end visiting Mrs. Stanley Smith. Mr. Stanley Smith also spent the week-end visiting his family. He is employed in Saginaw.

The first real signs of spring see Mr. and Mrs. Grant Shaw moving from their town house to their resort property known as Camp Grant on the AuSable. They are busy there getting things in ship shape for the opening of the trout season.

Mrs. David Knuth who has been in Mercy hospital here the past week, submitted to a goiter operation yesterday morning. Her son Pfc. Max Lett of Camp Carson, Colorado and his wife came Saturday to be with her during the operation.

An Easter program and pageant, "Oh, Tell the Glad Story," was presented by the young ladies of the Grayling Evangelical Lutheran Church, Sunday evening, at the Danebod Hall. The evening closed with a social hour and coffee.

The "We Girls" club met at the home of Miss Ruth Kernosky Wednesday evening. Pinochle was played with Miss Perne Akers holding high score and Miss Marie LaMotte low. A delicious lunch was served. Mrs. Mrs. Lawrence Balch was a guest.

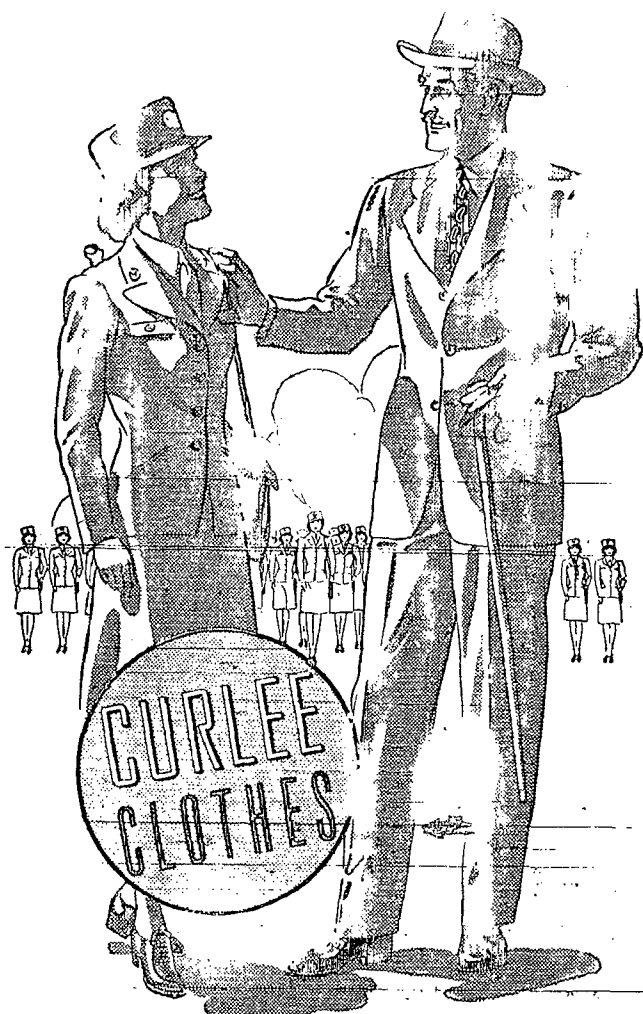
There was a meeting of elected delegates to the state convention (to be held in Detroit soon) at AuGres, Monday night. Those from Grayling attending the meeting were: Mayor George Burke, Judge Charles E. Moore, and Emil Giegling. Also, Representative John Guggesberg of Gaylord joined our party here. "The People vs. Albert Moon, charged with furnishing a young boy with liquor, was heard in Justice Court the first of last week, before Judge Kuhlman and a jury. Moon was acquitted, his witnesses claiming that the boy helped himself to liquor from which he became intoxicated.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Lozon for dinner, Easter Sunday, were: Mr. and Mrs. Duncan McComan, of Flint; Miss Eleanor Tomaszewski of Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. Chester Lozon and family and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lozon and family, of Male Forest. In the evening they were guests at the home of Mrs. Chester Lozon, and enjoyed a nice lunch of ice cream and cake.

Senator Ben C. Mason of Harrison dropped in Monday night, just to say "hello" to some of his friends, and let them know he will again be a candidate at the primary election. It is doubtful if he will have any opposition, for he stands well with his colleagues and the state officers, and is rated one of the most able men in the senate. It is always interesting to get together with him and have a chance to get inside information about affairs of state.

Mrs. Jonas Wirtanen entertained the Baptist Ladies' Aid meeting last Thursday afternoon at her home. After Bible reading and prayer, an interesting Bible talk was given by Mrs. Fred Niederer, and a talk in Finnish by Mrs. Lloyd Jennings. A song in Finnish was sung by Mrs. Jacobson. It happened to be the birthday of Mrs. Roy Kannisto (Jenny Wirtanen), so Mrs. Wirtanen had a nice surprise for all the ladies. Next meeting is to be held at the home of Mrs. Fred Niederer.

Grayling folks are interested in what young people who have lived most of their lives here and have attended our public schools are doing. An item comes to our notice, as follows: "Students of the home economics classes of Rob't E. Fitch high school, taught by Mrs. Elaine Holmgren, were hostesses to their mothers and the faculty at a tea yesterday afternoon. A floral centerpiece of green and white, flanked by tall white tapers, featured the motif used in the decorative arrangements at the table. Mrs. Mary V. Hanover of the faculty, and Mrs. Wm. Casey of the students, poured." Mrs. Holmgren (Elaine McDonnell) has been located at New London, Conn., since her husband went overseas, and has taught in the Robert E. Fitch high school in that city.



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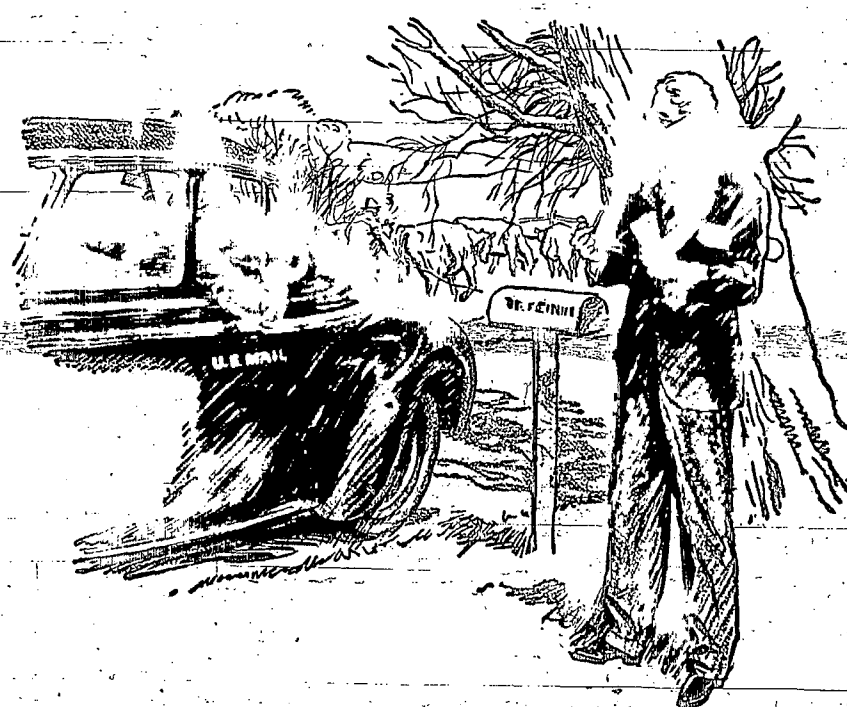
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<b>IONA — CREAM WHITE CORN</b> No. 2 can 11¢	<b>DEL ALTA TOMATOES</b> No. 2 1/2 can 18¢	<b>IONA DICED CARROTS</b> No. 2 can 10¢
<b>A&amp;P — WHOLE GREEN BEANS</b> No. 2 can 16¢	<b>IONA SPINACH</b> 2 No. 2 cans 25¢	<b>V-8 VEGETABLE COCKTAIL</b> 18-oz. can 15¢
<b>L&amp;K — SPEARS ASPARAGUS</b> No. 2 can 25¢	<b>DEL MAIZ NIBLETS</b> 2 No. 2 cans 25¢	<b>SACRAMENTO TOMATO JUICE</b> 18-oz. can 10¢

**... In Fine Fruits and Vegetables ...**

<b>FANCY RED RIPE TOMATOES</b> lb. 27¢	<b>FRESH — TENDER CARROTS</b> large bunch 6¢	<b>FRESH — RUBY RED BEETS</b> 2 large bunches 15¢
<b>FRESH — TENDER — GREEN ASPARAGUS</b>	<b>CRISP — FRESH CELERY</b> 2 large stalks 15¢	<b>FLORIDA — SEEDLESS — LARGE ORANGES</b> doz. 49¢
<b>CRISP — SOLID — 60 SIZE HEAD LETTUCE</b> each 10¢	<b>FRESH — RED RADISHES</b> bunch 5¢	<b>FRESH — CALIFORNIA DATES</b> lb. 59¢

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<b>REEF ROAST</b> lb. 26¢	<b>ROUND SIRLOIN OR SWISS CHOICE CUTS</b> lb. 38¢	<b>PORK LOIN ROAST</b> lb. 29¢
<b>FANCY WINTER CAUGHT WHITE FISH</b> lb. 22¢	<b>SHORT RIBS TENDER MEATY BOILING BEEF</b> lb. 19¢	<b>HEADLESS DRESSED LAKE SUPERIOR HERRING</b> PAN READY lb. 17¢

**Low Prices Like These Every Day**

<b>ANN PAGE MACARONI</b> 3 -LB. PKG. 25¢	<b>SULTANA — ORANGE MARMALADE</b> LB. JAR 18¢	<b>SULTANA PEANUT BUTTER</b> 2 -LB. JAR 35¢
<b>HOT CEREAL</b> 28-oz. pkg. 14¢	<b>FORBES HORSE RADISH</b> 7-oz. jar 17¢	<b>SUNNYFIELD BARLEY</b> 1-lb. pkg. 9¢

**A & P Coffees**

<b>MILD AND MELLOW EIGHT O'CLOCK</b> 3-lb. bag 59¢	<b>BLUE BONNET SALTINES</b> 2-lb. pkg. 31¢	<b>WHITE SAIL LIQUID WAX</b> pint 23¢
<b>RICH AND FULL BODIED RED CIRCLE</b> lb. 24¢	<b>APPLE KEG APPLE JUICE</b> 1/2-gal. jug 38¢	<b>DELISH DILL PICKLES</b> quart 21¢
<b>VIGOROUS AND WINEY BOKAR</b> lb. 26¢		

**A & P Bakery**

<b>MARVEL BREAD ENRICHED</b> 1 1/2-LB. LOAF 10¢	<b>JANE PARKER DONUTS</b> doz. 15¢
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**FOOD STORE**

## Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

APRIL 14, 1921.

Miss Fernie Armstrong has accepted a position as bookkeeper in the offices of McIntyre and Nelson in the Boeson building. This firm are Michigan dealers in Raymond rims and wheels.

H. Clay Hodgson returned to Grayling Tuesday of last week from a trip to Boston and other eastern cities.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross L. Sparkes are receiving felicitations of their friends on the birth of a son, George Thomas, Saturday, April 9th, at the home of Mrs. Sparkes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Smith.

A daughter, Betty Jane, was born to Mr. and Mrs. George Willis, of Flint, Sunday, April 10. Mrs. Willis was formerly Miss Margaret Chamberlain.

The Woman's Club are planning a musical entertainment for

May 2nd and have been very fortunate in securing the services of Mr. Bruce Benjamin, noted singer, of Saginaw. The proceeds will be used for charity.

"Babe" Laurant has returned his contract signed to the manager of the Bay City baseball team of the Michigan-Ontario league and will again be their star pitcher this season.

Mrs. Judson Bradley and daughter, Miss Helen, returned to their home in Flint Tuesday, after visiting for a few days with Mrs. Bradley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Chamberlain.

Among the new cottages being erected at Lake Margrethe and which will be ready for occupancy this season are those of E. W. Beulke and Dr. C. A. Canfield. Also, A. E. Michelson of Detroit, while in Grayling, made arrangements with J. Fredrickson, architect, of Gaylord, to draw plans for a summer home at this beautiful resort.

### SHOCKING STORY OF JUVENILES ON A WAR-TIME BINGE

Juveniles on the loose! That describes thousands of 'teen-age' girls roaming the country, on the streets, in dance halls, out for money, men and excitement. Read "Juveniles on the Loose", by Genevieve Parkhurst, famous sociologist, starting in The American Weekly with this Sunday's (April 16) issue of The Detroit Sunday Times.

### Books Wanted

Servicemen's hospitals are in need of good books. Anyone having interesting books may donate them.

The drive for books for this worthy purpose is being sponsored by the Grayling American Legion Auxiliary, which requests that all persons having books to donate please call on or leave the books at the home of Mrs. Alfred Hanson.

## Church News

### MICHELSON MEMORIAL CHURCH

Sunday Services  
10:00 A. M.—Bible School.  
11:00 A. M.—Public worship.  
Young People's meeting at 6:30. Join us in these helpful meetings.  
Public is invited.  
H. W. Kuhlman, Pastor.

### GRAYLING EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

English Sunday Services  
9:45 A. M.—Sunday School.  
11 A. M.—Worship.  
Everyone is welcome.  
Svend Holm, Pastor.

### FREE METHODIST CHURCH

Corner Shellenburger and St. Sunday Services  
Sunday School—10:00 a. m.  
Sermon—11:00 a. m.  
Evening Worship—7:30 p. m.  
Prayer meeting.  
Friday—7:30 p. m.  
Come and worship with us.  
Alva Calkins, Pastor.

### CALVARY CHURCH

The Book—2 Tim 3:16  
The Blood—Heb. 9:22  
That Blessed Hope, Titus 2:11  
New Location—Grange Hall  
Sunday Services  
10:00 A. M.—Sunday School.  
8:45 P. M.—Young people.  
7:30 P. M.—Preaching.

### Midweek Services

Thursday—  
7:30 P. M.—Prayer and Everybody's Bible Class.  
You are welcome.  
Pastor, F. D. Bam.

### FREDERIC BIBLE CHURCH

"We preach Christ crucified in our sins"  
10:30 a. m.—Sunday School.  
8:00 p. m.—Evening Service.  
Wednesday—Prayer meeting and Bible study—8:00 p. m.

**Can You Picture MICHIGAN without its Fire Fighters?**

## Letters from Camp

Frank Decker recently received the following V-Mail letter from Wilbert ("Swede") Swanson:

Hello, Frank and family. Well, you sent me a card, hoping I would soon get well, and that's just what I did, and I am out of the hospital and back with my old outfit. We are not allowed to write and say how we were hurt, but at the present time I am somewhere on the Anzio Beachhead. So, if you have a map, take a look; it's a long way from good old Grayling.

Frank, it's been so long since I have seen any of you that it is hard to say or ask how any of you are. It is going on two years since I came overseas, and you know yourself that's a long while.

Excuse this writing, as I am sitting in a fox-hole. And thanks for the card, and hope all the Deckers are well.

As ever,  
"Swede".

Sardinia.

Dear Mr. Schumann and Friends: Just yesterday we had a lecture on what we may write and what not, and right now I am almost convinced that it's "hello, how are you, I am fine, and so long for now."

However, I will attempt to go a bit farther than that and say it's almost a year now since landing, and almost two years and no fur-

### Womans Club

The final meeting for the club year was held at the Michelson Memorial Church, Monday evening.

A pot-luck dinner, with the gentlemen as guests, was a complete success. The serving table, decorated with native greens and lighted tapers, was indeed a very appealing food.

Following the dinner, through the courtesy of Supt. Bond and Joseph Stripe, the movie, "The Eighteenth Century Life of Williamsburg, Virginia," was shown.

A business meeting followed, with the year's reports being given. A very successful year was reported.

Mrs. Harry Hutchins was succeeded to the presidency of the club by Mrs. Norman Butler, upon her resignation, due to her change of residence from Grayling to Midland.

Mrs. Carl W. Johnson was chairman of the program, which proved highly interesting.

Mrs. Don Gotro instructed a class in nutrition for the first ten meetings of the year, which was very much appreciated.

Mrs. Joseph Stripe will act as president of the club for next year.

The committee for Monday evening included: Mrs. Max Laage, Mrs. James McDonnell, Mrs. O. P. Schumann, Mrs. Chas. Long, Mrs. Charles Meisel and Mrs. Harold Throop.

He who does not believe in the Resurrection has but to look at Nature in the Springtime, when she throws off the winter of the long sleep to burst forth in the radiance of rebirth.

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### Timber Sale

Department of Conservation of the State of Michigan

Notice is hereby given that pine and aspen timber on the following described lands will be sold by sealed bids. Bids will be addressed to the Forest Fire Experiment Station, Roscommon, Michigan, and will be opened at 2 P. M., April 10, 1944, Central War Time.

The entire Northwest quarter section of Section 9, T24N R2W. The entire area will be sold to the responsible bidder offering the highest cash bonus for cutting permit in addition to paying the following stumpage rates:

Jack pine logs, \$7.00 per M bd. ft.  
Jack pine pulpwood, unpeeled, \$1.25 per cord.  
Aspen logs, \$5.00 per M bd. ft.  
Aspen pulpwood, \$1.00 per cord, unpeeled.

All timber to be cut under the following specifications:  
Stump height 6" minimum, 10" maximum.  
Stump diameter, 10".  
Brush to be lopped and scattered not to exceed 24" in depth.

The right to reject any and all bids is reserved.

For information regarding this sale, contact O. L. Meade, Forest Fire Experiment Station, Roscommon, Michigan.

P. J. Hoffmaster, Director.

Maybe you've never had to call the fire department—maybe you never will. But it's a mighty comforting thought to know that it's there, ready night and day to save you and yours from one of man's most treacherous and terrifying enemies.

The heroic work done by fire fighters in so many of the towns and cities of our Allies, which have been showered with incendiaries and explosives, is drama itself. The job of our own firemen right here at home in Michigan may be less spectacular but it's no less important—particularly to us. Yet most of us give little thought to this vital safeguard of our everyday life—until an emergency comes along.

There are 3,438 men in Michigan whose full-time job is the protection of lives and property of the citizens of this State. These are the regular firemen—

but there are thousands more who are ready to do their share at a moment's notice, the volunteer firemen.

To all of these valiant men, we of the Greyhound Lines pay sincere tribute. We're proud of these fellow-citizens—thankful for them, too. And we feel we have at least one thing in common with them. They're fighting hard to improve the safety record of our State and so are we. In these tense and busy days, we feel that Greyhound, in providing safe, convenient transportation between this community and its good neighbors, is also playing its part in making Michigan a safer, happier place to live.

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